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It looks like that a restriction may be made, although I am not sure that you can restrict by combination/subcombination. Invention I (claims 1-4 and 13-15) can be examined under 710. If applicant elects Invention I, you need to provide evidence of applicant's election before Invention I can be examined under 710.

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> if this is 710 it belongs to the I/O part of the class which
> is examined by 2182. Check with Eron Sorrell or Alan Chen

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> Please consider authorizing a restriction for 10/765813.

> Claims 1-4 and 13-15 are directed towards Direct Memory
> Addressing per se, classified in class 710 or class 711.
> Claims 5-12 and 16-20 are directed towards video decoding,
> classified in class 375/240.25. Invention I (1-4, 13-15) and
> invention II (5-12, 16-20) are related as combination and
> subcombination. In this case, the combination is not limited
> to processing video data, and the subcombination has the
> separate utility of video decoding. Therefore, a restriction
> appears proper.

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